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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for:

() one month

() three months

(X) two months

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The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for a two-month extension of time is \$420.00

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| () Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application. |
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| A verified small entity statement: |
| () has been filed () is enclosed. |
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